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Subject: Microsoft Settlement -- just say no!

Hello. I am writing to voice my opposition to the anemic settlement currently under consideration between Microsoft and the DOJ. Microsoft ignored the consent decree and its behavioral remedies last time. It will ignore them again. The culture at Microsoft will not change because of this settlement.

The economy, the I.T. industry, and computer science need a durable remedy for Microsoft. One that it cannot work around. I had high hopes for the break-up. I still have some hope.

Please do not allow the settlement in its current form to go forward.

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